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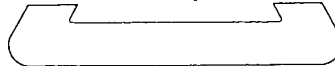
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**PROBABLE MILITARY EQUIPMENT
EL BLUFF PORT FACILITY, NICARAGUA**

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1. **SIGNIFICANCE:** AT LEAST 26 PROBABLE MILITARY-ASSOCIATED
VEHICLES HAVE ARRIVED AT EL BLUFF PORT FACILITY SINCE
(SWN)

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2. **REMARKS:** FOUR VAN-BODIED TRUCKS, 18 CARGO TRUCKS (SOME CANVAS COVERED), TWO BULLDOZERS, AND THREE UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES ARE IN AN AREA NEAR THE QUAY. THREE OF THE CARGO TRUCKS ARE ON A LIGHTER. THESE VEHICLES HAVE PROBABLY BEEN OFFLOADED FROM A GEROI PANFILOVTSY-CLASS MERSHIP (PROBABLY BULGARIAN) WHICH ARRIVED OFFSHORE THE NICARAGUAN ROLL-ON/ROLL-OFF (RO/RO) MERSHIP "NICARAO" REMAINS ALONGSIDE THE MERSHIP, AND FOUR PROBABLE FISHING/SECURITY VESSELS ARE NEARBY. UNIDENTIFIED CARGO IS DISCERNIBLE IN THE AFT HOLD OF THE GEROI PANFILOVTSY-CLASS MERSHIP; HOWEVER, NO ARMS TRANSFER ACTIVITY IS OBSERVED BETWEEN IT AND THE "NICARAO". THE "NICARAO" IS NORMALLY USED TO TRANSFER HEAVY MILITARY CARGO FROM EL BLUFF TO RAMA PORT FACILITIES WHICH IS APPROXIMATELY 50 NM NORTH ON THE RIO ESCONDIDO. (SWN)

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THE NICARAGUAN MERSHIP "ARACELY", WHICH HAD ALSO BEEN ALONGSIDE THE GEROI PANFILOVTSY-CLASS MERSHIP HAD DEPARTED THE AREA "ARACELY" WAS AT RAMA TRANSFERRING UNIDENTIFIED CARGO. A SMALLER MERSHIP WAS ALSO TRANSFERRING UNIDENTIFIED CARGO AT THE NEW PORT FACILITIES AT THE TOWN OF RAMA. (SWN)

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THE NUMBER OF AIRCRAFT AT EL BLUFF AIRFIELD REMAINS HIGH AND INCLUDES TWO SF.260 LIGHT STRIKE AIRCRAFT, ONE PROBABLY AERO COMMANDER LIGHT TRANSPORT, ONE COLT LIGHT TRANSPORT, AND ONE HIP MEDIUM HELICOPTER. ONE COLT HAD DEPARTED SIMILAR DEPLOYMENTS OF AIRCRAFT, WHICH PROBABLY PROVIDE ADDITIONAL SECURITY, HAVE BEEN OBSERVED AT EL BLUFF DURING PREVIOUS ARMS TRANSHIPMENTS. (SWN)

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3. COORDINATES 11-59-40N 083-40-39W

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